

REPORT OF OPERATION BLESSINGS

Operation Blessings was established eleven years ago to provide needy families of Alton with Thanksgiving food baskets. These baskets contain a turkey and all the "fixins" for a traditional Thanksgiving dinner. I also provided senior citizens with fruit baskets.

In 2006 we were able to help as many as 45 families and 40 senior citizens. I am still always amazed at the generosity of the town-folks of Alton. We have had over 30 contributions this year. Thank you so very much for your caring of those in need.

I would like to thank Sheri, my deputy and Kathy from the Assessing office for all their help and everyone for their generosity and the time and effort that was put in to this special project. Thank you to the drivers for delivering the baskets. Your assistance was again a big help and greatly appreciated. Hope to see you next year for another successful endeavor.

Respectfully Submitted,

Paulette M. Wentworth, Chairperson

Elsa Bayer

On July 26th, 2006, Elsa Bayer at age 101 years, was honored as being the oldest person in Alton. Cris Blackstone, Chairman of the Board of Selectmen presented Elsa with a proclamation from the Town. Elsa was born September 23, 1904 and has lived in Alton since 1952.

